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Patrick Gibson et al.)	
)	Examiner: Chi Ho A Lee
Serial No.: 09/843,660)	
)	Group Art Unit: 2663
Filed: April 26, 2001)	
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For: AUTOMATIC DETECTOR)	
OF MEDIA INTERFACE)	
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sir:

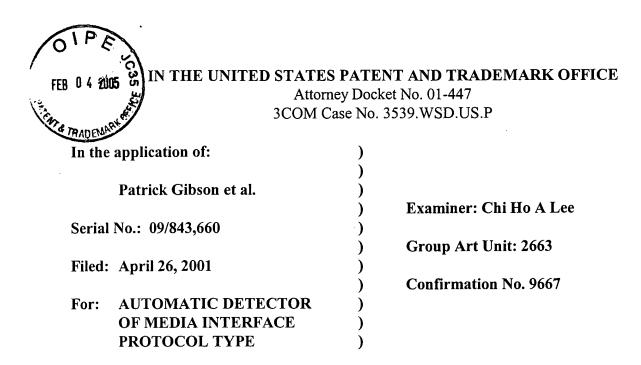
In regard to the above identified application,

- 1. I am transmitting herewith the attached:
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 - b) Comments on Statements of Reasons for Allowance;
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Respectfully submitted

Date: February 1, 2005

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENTS OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

The Applicants express appreciation for the allowance of claims 1-9 of the present application. In the Notice of Allowability, the Examiner provided Reasons for Allowance of the claims. In doing so, the Examiner paraphrased some of the Applicants' claims and also referred to specific wording of only some of the claims. While the Applicants believe that the claims are allowable, the Applicants do not acquiesce that patentability resides in each feature, exactly as expressed in the claims or as expressed in the Examiner's paraphrasing of the claims, nor that each feature is required for patentability.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: February 1, 2005